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- A check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed.  $\boxtimes$
- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established.
- X Other: Communication; Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts; Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney for Patent Application; Five (5) Sheets of Formal Substitute Drawings.
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By:

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### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
  - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.



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### COMMUNICATION

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By:

Carolyn 1. Erickson

Sir:

Applicant filed the application covered by the caption indicated above on January 23, 2002. The signature of the inventor was, however, missing on the DECLARATION. In response to the filing, the United States Patent and Trademark Office issued a NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION document. That paper documented the fact that the filing date was



granted for the application. Further, however, it documented a requirement that a properly signed Oath or Declaration identifying the application by Application Number and Filing Date be submitted. That paper also required that a surcharge in the amount of \$130 be submitted.

The NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION also documented that the application was informal since it did not comply with the regulations because the drawing sheets did not have the appropriate margins and the drawings needed to be free from erasures, alterations, etc. Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.84 were required.

In response to the document issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Applicant hereby takes action to comply with the requirements imposed. Please find transmitted herewith an executed COMBINED DECLARATION/POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION, substitute formal drawings in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.84 having the appropriate margins, and a check in the amount of \$130.00.

The period for response was set to expire two months from the date of that paper. The unextended deadline for responding is, therefore, May 11, 2002.

In view of the action taken herein, Applicant would submit that the requirements imposed by the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION paper have been complied with. It is, therefore, requested that the application be passed for examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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By her attorney,

Dated:

May 8, 2002

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